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Forest
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Ashley National Forest
Roosevelt Ranger District
244 West Highway 40, Box 333-6
Roosevelt, Utah 84066

5/13/002
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File Code: 2810

Date: February 22, 1996

Utah State Planning & Budget
Attn: Carolyn Wright
116 State Capitol
Salt Lake City, UT 84114

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FYT.

Dear Ms. Wright:

The Roosevelt Ranger District, Ashley National Forest, received an operating plan from the Uintah Mountain Copper Company proposing to do expanded exploration and development of their Paint Mine claim in Lake Fork Canyon. A copy of this operating plan is available on request from the Roosevelt Ranger District. This operation plan requests either one large test pit excavation of not to exceed 85 feet long by 70 feet wide and 45 feet in depth or 3 smaller test pits of average dimension 25 feet by 50 feet wide and 20 feet in depth. All reclamation work will be completed before moving on to the next stage as described in the operating plan and as directed by the Forest Service officer in charge.

In accordance with the Mining Regulation CFR 228,3 and NEPA requirements, we are conducting an analysis and scoping process for this proposal. Because you have been identified as an interested or effected Forest user, this information is being sent to you.

To be most useful, any comments or recommendations you wish to make concerning this proposal should be received by April 1, 1996.

Your comments need to be specific as possible and contain the following:

Name, address and telephone number, specific facts or comments along with supporting reasons that you believe are pertinent to the analysis or that I should consider in reaching a decision.

If you have any questions, contact Wally Larsen, Roosevelt Ranger District at 801-722-5018.

Sincerely,

W. G. Law

for
JOSEPH BISTRYSKI
District Ranger

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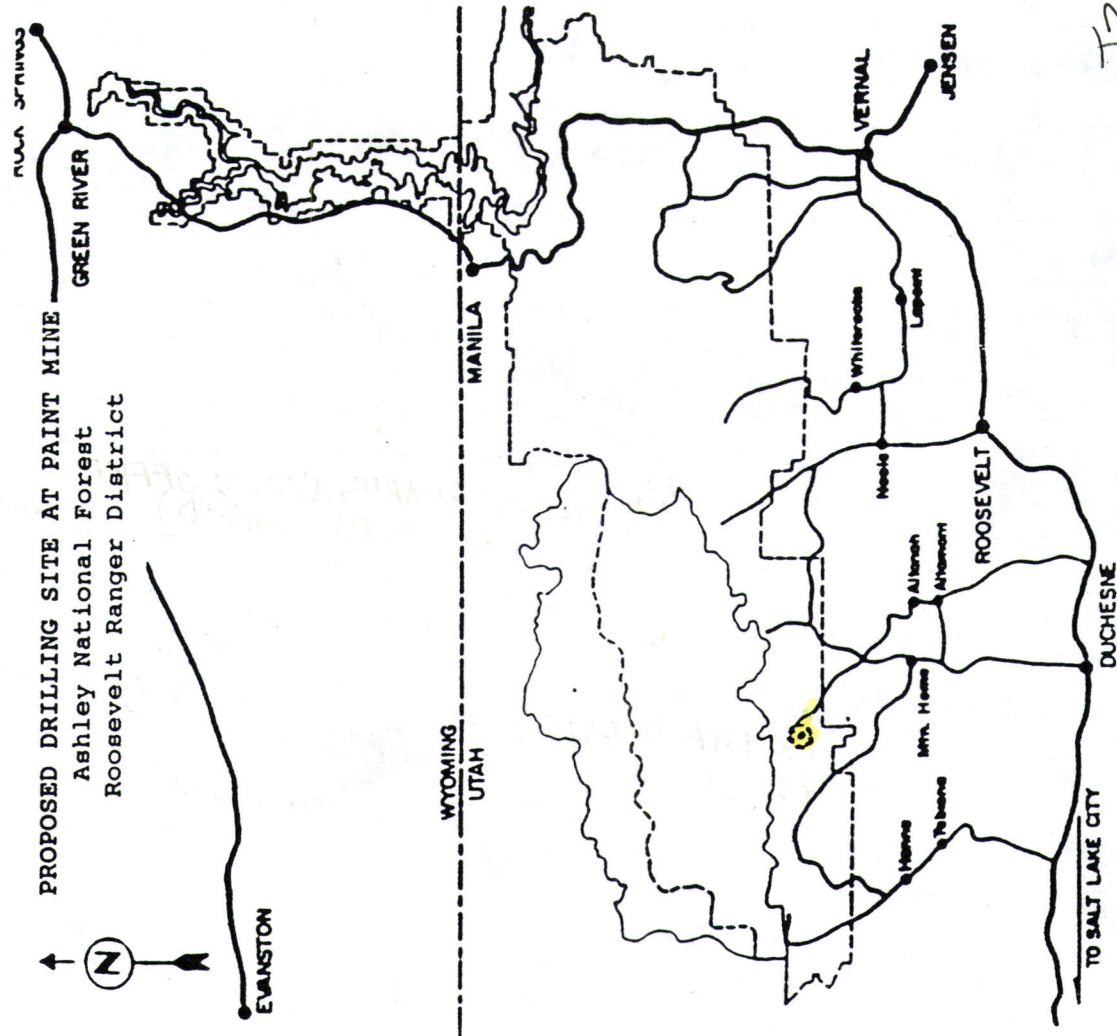
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FIGURE 1

PROPOSED DRILLING SITE AT PAINT MINE



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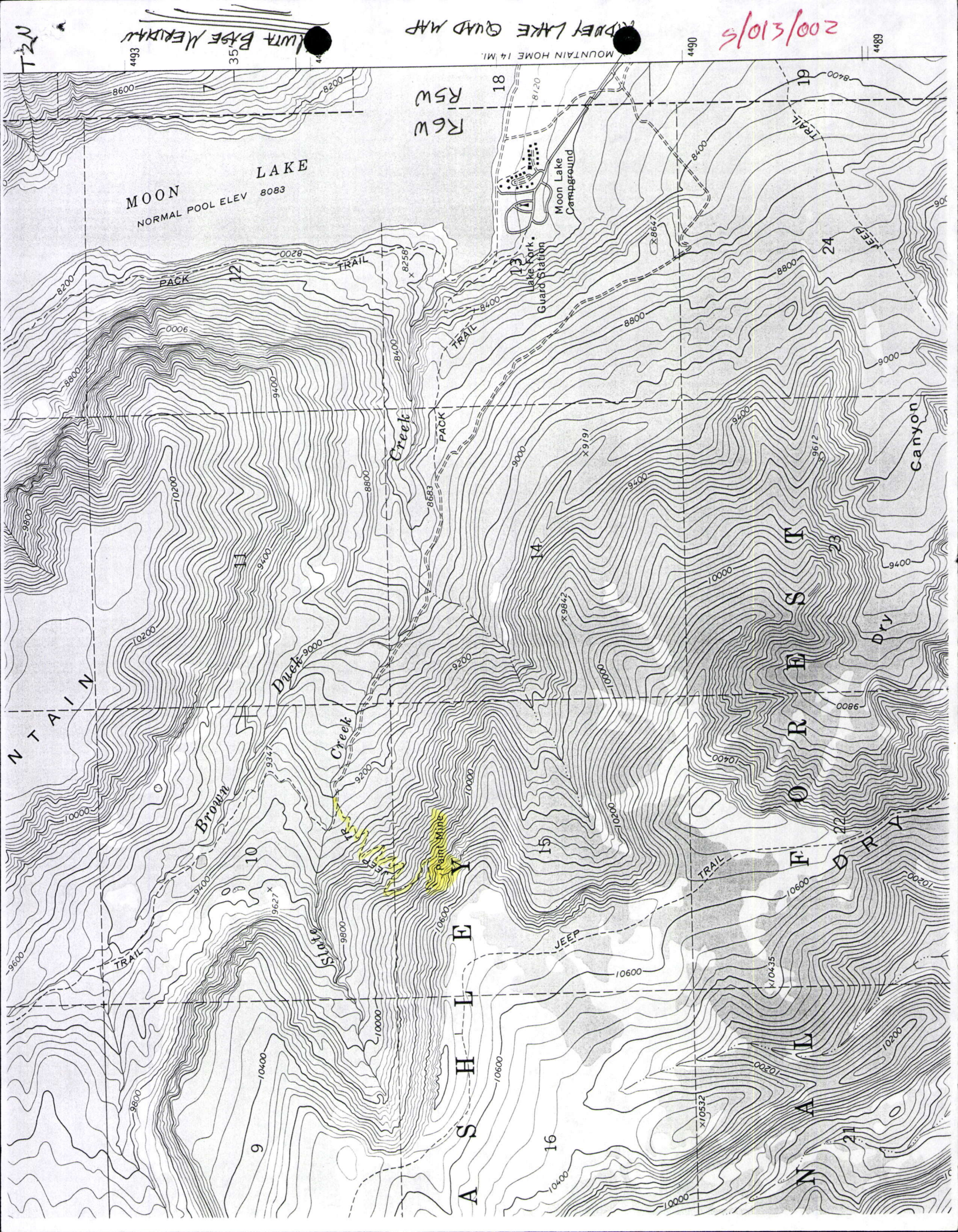
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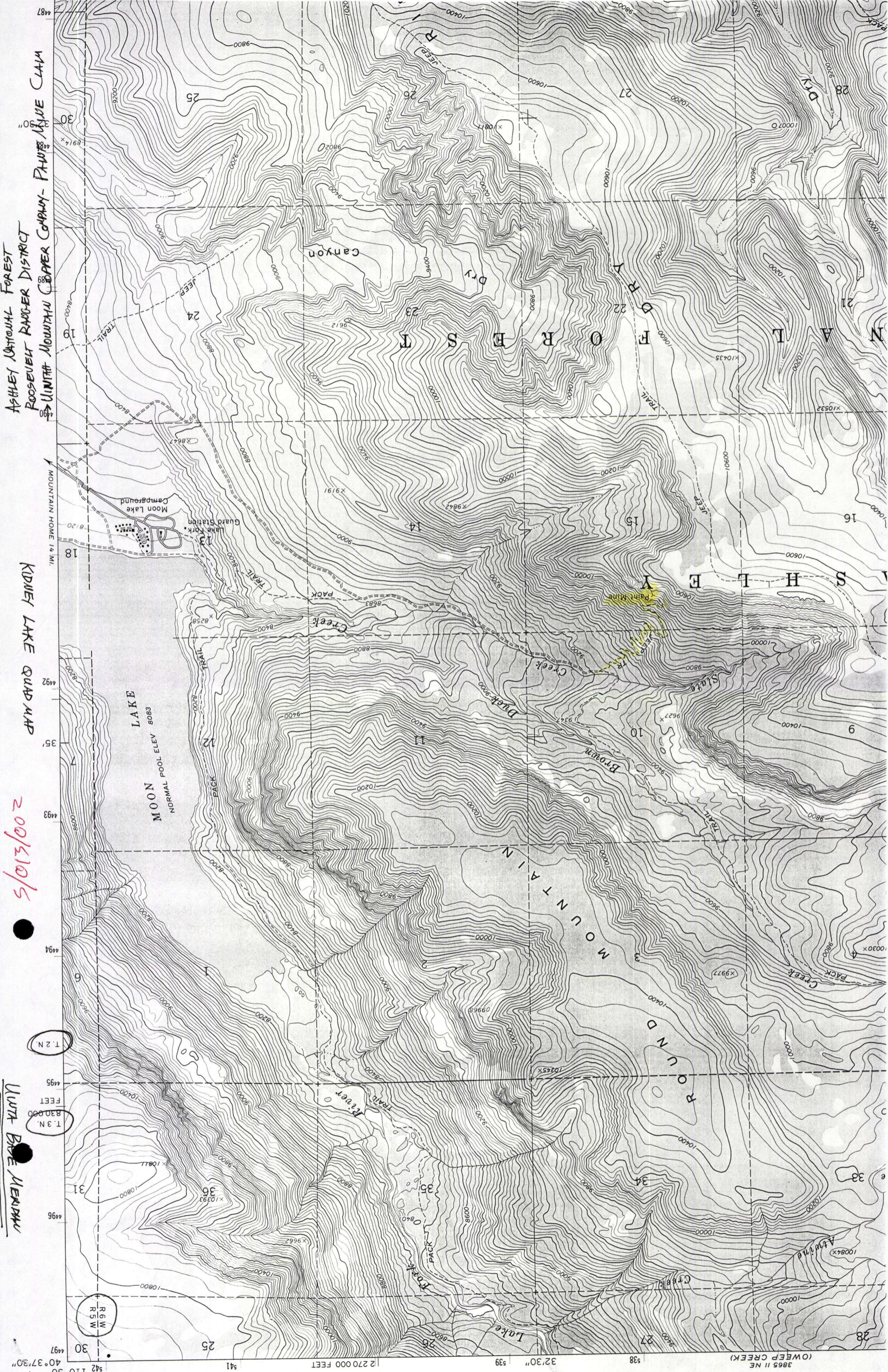
Proposed Drilling Site at Paint Mine

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Joint USFS/UMCC Access Road







ASHLEY NATIONAL FOREST
ROOSEVELT RANGER DISTRICT
UNITA MOUNTAIN CANYON - PHOTODUPLICATION CLAIM

KIDNEY LAKE QUAD MAP

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